

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION 567

By Herron

A RESOLUTION to honor and recognize Brandi Leigh Walker,
2009 Salutatorian of Dresden High School.

WHEREAS, it is fitting that the members of this General Assembly should pause to pay tribute to those students who, through their natural talents and unflagging commitment to academic excellence, have distinguished themselves in the classroom; and

WHEREAS, Brandi Leigh Walker is one such exceptional student who was recently named Salutatorian of the 2009 graduating class at Dresden High School; and

WHEREAS, through diligent study, steady composure during examinations, and steadfast commitment of time and talent, Brandi has achieved outstanding academic success and has joined the ranks of the best and brightest students in Tennessee and our country; and

WHEREAS, in her remarkable high school career, Ms. Walker has earned an exemplary 4.0 grade point average and has demonstrated outstanding leadership while participating in a number of scholastic and civic organizations, including the Science Club, the Spanish Club, and Fellowship of Christian Athletes; she also served as president of the Beta Club, president of HOSA, vice president of STARS Club, treasurer of Mu Alpha Theta, and co-editor of the Dresden High School annual; and

WHEREAS, she has volunteered her time and energies to several noteworthy organizations including Relay for Life, Habitat for Humanity, and a mission trip to West Virginia; and

WHEREAS, she is a faithful and active member of Bible Union Baptist Church; and

WHEREAS, Brandi's display of intellectual aptitude and ambition surely bodes well for her future success; and

WHEREAS, her noteworthy achievement is a tremendous source of pride for her parents, Chris Walker and Juanita Walker, her school, and her community; and

WHEREAS, Brandi's dedication to excellence is clearly deserving of the respect, admiration, and commendation of this legislative body; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE HUNDRED SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES CONCURRING, that we hereby commend and honor the 2009 Dresden High School Salutatorian, Brandi Leigh Walker, on her impressive academic achievement and extend to her our best wishes for a happy, successful future.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy.